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In re Patent Application of:

Chandra Mouli

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Examiner: Colleen Ann Matthews

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IMAGE SENSORS

COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

MS Issue Fee Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

While Applicant agrees in part with the Examiner's stated reasons for allowance, Applicant notes that the allowed claims define further unique combinations not found in the prior art and not indicated in the Examiner's stated reasons. Therefore, the stated reasons for allowance should be interpreted as highlighting only some of the reasons why some of the claims are allowable.

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Applicant submits that the scope of the claims should be interpreted based on the actual language of the allowed claims, and no further limitation of the claims should be inferred from the Examiner's Statement of Reasons For Allowance.

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Respectfully submitted,

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